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New Publication for Workers over 50 from DWS

Salt Lake City – A new publication for workers over 50 is now available from the Department of Workforce Services (DWS). Titled *Utah Careers Supplement for Older Workers*, it is meant to be used as a supplement to the main adult career guide from DWS, *Utah Careers*.

Utah Careers for Older Workers has information to meet the special needs of older workers. The articles cover topics such as myths about older workers, finding employment after age 50 and how wages affect Social Security benefits.

“As the baby boomers approach retirement age, some are choosing to retire at 65 or even earlier. Many others will continue to work long after they could retire. Some will retire, then decide, for a variety of reasons, to go back into the workforce,” says Lecia Langston, contributing author of *Utah Careers for Older Workers*. “There are many factors to consider for whatever path is chosen. This publication is meant to help with these decisions and with other issues and questions workers over 50 grapple with.”

Utah Careers for Older Workers is on the Workforce Information website <http://jobs.utah.gov/wi/> in its entirety and will soon be available in print. Copies can be obtained by calling 801-526-9785.

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